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Coming Events

Whitman Coin & Collectibles Baltimore (Winter) Expo

Nov 12 - 14, 2020 Baltimore, MD

CANCELED

Whitman Coin & Collectibles Baltimore (Spring) Expo

March 25 - 27, 2021 One West Pratt St. Baltimore, MD
Hall A B & C
MD TAMS Meeting Sat. 27th 11-1 (If all goes WELL!)

Whitman Coin & Collectibles Baltimore (Summer) Expo

Date not available yet

SWAPS NOT SCHEDULED YET – WILL NOTIFY WHEN DATES BECOME AVAILABLE

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Well, we are still operating under the impact of the COVID-19 virus. Most clubs have not met in person for the bulk of 2020 and it does not look like there will be any change until sometime in 2021. The Maryland Token and Medal Society has not met in person. I am looking into possibly holding a video teleconference meeting so we can at least have a business meeting to include show and tell. This mode does not support an auction very easily so we may start with just the normal "Zoom" meeting. We are checking into the Newman Numismatic Portal (NNP) to help us with the appropriate technology. More later on this as we may need to use this well into 2021 the way things are going with the virus.

I hope that everyone enjoyed the special, added COVID edition of our Journal. Your editor and I felt that this might help give you some additional hobby reading to help you through this new COVID era of more limited public interaction. If you do have more personal time during this COVID period, how about writing an article for our Journal. We can never have too many. I also hope that you and your families are staying safe and healthy. Remember to social distance when outside the house and near others and please wear a mask. It not only protects you from others but others from you. Hope to see most of you as soon as possible. Good collecting !!

I just received some very sad news that one of our key and longtime members, Jim Shipley, has passed away at home in VA. I will miss Jim a lot. The family has decided that due to personal and COVID impacts, they will have a graveside service only. In the next issue of our Journal, we will have an appropriate obituary. Time did not allow for it in this issue. Please keep Jim and his family in your prayers.

Edward L. Craig
President, MD TAMS

FROM YOUR EDITOR

Hello Fellow Members

I hope you are all well and safe. I have been busy with my E-bay listings and writing some articles. I hope you are busy doing the same. This is your journal not the "Jane Sears Journal". I like doing puzzles and researching our tokens is part of that. In the future you will be seeing our MD TAMS Busy Bee. He will be promoting upcoming activities .

I have the book that has the 1887 Baltimore street addresses changes but I came across this link with the address changes from 1905 to 1930.

Baltimore, Maryland - Stephen P. Morse
STREET NAME **CHANGES** IN BALTIMORE, MARYLAND: OLD STREET NAMES "NEW" NAMEs (1905/1930s)

https://stevemorse.org/census/changes/BaltimoreChanges.htm

LOWER DELAWARE CANNERIES IN 1968

Ed Craig LM-22

A while ago I found a 1968 phone book with the yellow pages for Lower Delaware that includes Dover, Milford and nearby communities. Many of our members collect DEL-MAR-VA pickers, packers and canners tokens so I thought I would list the canneries found in that phone book. Remember, that was over 50 years ago (how time flies).

Here are the canneries listed for this area of Delaware in 1968: Draper Brothers - Frederica; Draper Foods Incorporated Slaughter Neck - Milton; Green Giant Company - Woodside; Parker William F. - near Burrsville; Phillips J. Richard Jr. and Sons - Barkers Landing; Richardson & Robbins - King; Sandel Packing Co. - Marydel; Sandel Packing Co. - near Sandtown; Torsch Canning Co. - Milford; and Wheatley W. L. Inc. - Clayton. The phone book also shows that cans were available in that area at Crown Cork and Seal Co. Inc. at Fruitland.

I will leave it to the collectors to determine which canneries or farmers had labels, tokens, and/or berry tickets. Good collecting.

BALTIMORE AND PLYMOUTH ROCK

Frank Pugliese R111

A number of years ago, we purchased a bronze replica of Massachusetts' Plymouth Rock with the date 1620 impress on it. Why, you might ask? The obvious answer is “Because we like it.” However, when we turned it over, it became an even more exciting find as embossed in the hollowed base was the following:

WM. HIGHTON - & SONS CO.
WARM AIR REGISTERS
GRILLS & BRONZE TABLETS
REPRESENTED BY
EDWIN CUGLE & CO
BALTIMORE

The piece is in the shape of the original rock and measures approximately 3 x 4” in width and is 1 to 1 3/4” in height. From the style and patina, we surmise it came from the 1920 300 Anniversary of the Landing at Plymouth Rock. There is no other record in our library of another relic or token from that company. It has been on Frank's desk for many years and used as a paperweight.

We thought it important to share this oddity from Baltimore with the MD TAMS club, especially since the 400 Anniversary of this event is approaching this year.

CIVIL WAR TOKEN ENGRAVERS: A MARYLAND FOCUS

Edward L. Craig LM-22

Renowned Numismatist, Q. David Bowers, authored a new book in 2018 in conjunction with the Civil War Token Society (CWTS). The title of this new reference is: Engravers, Minters, and Distributors of Civil War Tokens. This 264 page, hard cover publication is listed as "A source book for patriotic tokens, store cards, and sutler tokens. Histories, biographies, die details, and more."

I am a collector of Maryland Civil War Store Cards and Sutler tokens; therefore, my review is focused only on Engravers, Minters and Distributors of these tokens. Of the sixty-three merchants/companies discussed in the new book, four are from Maryland. These are the ones that will have my attention in this review. This is not to say that only these engravers minted Maryland tokens or that the other 59 did not. The following is about the engravers located in Maryland. These are as follows:

The first is Jacob Gminder. Bowers shows Gminder as a "minor figure in the annals of Civil War tokens. Born on April 24, 1831, in Reutlingen, Wurttemburg, Germany." He emigrated to the United States. Baltimore directories show him at 10 1/2 South Calvert St. in 1860. Bowers notes that due to street renumbering, this became 12-14 South Calvert in 1887. "In 1882, he struck 64 Washington medals for a local dentist and coin dealer, George W. Massamore. Bowers notes he did 21 each in brass, copper and gold. He also did one in silver before destroying the dies. Author Limerick took over the business in the late 1890's according to Bowers. Gminder also produced numerous Civil War uniform buttons for Maryland soldiers.

The second engraver is very well known to Maryland collectors. He is Franz X., Koehler Jr. Bowers notes that he used "F.X. Koehler" on his tokens which were mostly brass. During the Civil War he operated at 11 North Liberty Street. He issued both store cards and sutler tokens. He is well known for his tokens of G. Bauernschmidt, G.F. Schwer, the Mount Vernon Club, and the Shakespeare Club. Bowers notes that some of his store cards are counterstamped with the initials of saloonkeepers in his home city of Baltimore.

Koehler was born in Germany in 1818 and emigrated to the U.S. in 1850. Bowers notes that his mother was a jewelry engraver in Germany. Koehler set up his die cutting and jewelry manufacturing business in Baltimore in 1851. Bowers shows him at 124 Fayette Street before moving to 18 German Street. David Bowers indicates that Koehler "Circa 1870-1885, he made many tokens with a wreath on the reverse, star at the top, and at the center a number representing the value. He was a member of several German societies in Baltimore. He was also a friend of Anthon C. Paquet, an assistant engraver at the United States Mint. F.X. Koehler died in Baltimore on March 22, 1886."

The next engraver with a Maryland connection is William K. Lanphear who seemed to be extremely mobile, beginning in Ohio (Cinncinati & Cleveland) and later operating in Illinois, Maryland, Kentucky, and Minnesota. Mr. Bowers states that the federal census of 1870 lists Lanphear, age 45, as living in Ward 9 and and in 1871 he and Richard Ross founded Lanphear & Ross at 43 1/2 North Gay Street. Bowers notes that the company "flourished 1871-1873. In 1872 he resided at 31 South Exeter street. Subsequently in Baltimore, 1874-1880, he was the owner of the Excelsior Stencil, Stamp and Novelty Co.. His output in Baltimore included the stamping of checks and tokens for oyster packers, fruit packers and fruit pickers."

The last of the Maryland engravers is James E. Pilkington. Bowers refers to him as one of the more minor figures among Civil War token issuers. Directory listings of 1863 and 1864 show him at 209 Baltimore Street according to Bowers who also says Pilkington was born in England in 1833 and In 1865-66 he served in the Maryland House of Delegates. Pilkington made the Maryland Sutler token for Charles Stevens.

The Maryland Token and Medal Society has a connection with Mr. Bowers and this book. Bowers mentions that such people as George and Melvin Fuld, David Schenkman, and Steve Tannenbaum helped him in his collecting and numismatic publication. All four numismatic experts were at one time members of MD TAMS. Q. David Bowers also lists among his numerous publications, "The Guide Book of Civil War Tokens".

This reference book is very interesting and will be of great use to CWT collectors. If you are not a member of the Civil War Token Society (CWTS), you may want to join because as members you can get this book on Engravers, Minters, and Distributors of Civil War Tokens for free with only a shipping cost of five dollars.

Our Maryland Tokens Word Search #2

E	E	M	C	A	L	V	E	R	T	O	N	X	S
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N	A	D	C	E	Z	R	E	A	S	S	A	U	O
A	L	U	L	R	C	I	E	W	T	G	I	O	V
M	O	T	U	U	N	Y	T	E	X	U	U	E	H
H	C	C	C	E	A	T	L	O	N	A	C	Z	A
G	O	H	N	A	N	E	X	U	T	W	M	E	R
L	H	M	A	E	N	N	E	R	C	H	O	R	D
I	C	A	A	I	D	R	O	C	N	O	C	O	Y
T	I	N	E	Z	T	U	H	C	S	U	V	M	D
E	D	L	I	H	C	S	H	C	O	H	I	D	H
O	B	A	U	M	G	A	R	T	E	N	M	E	H
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BAUMGARTEN
MAENNERCHOR
WEDMORE
HARDY
MAXWELL
HOCHSCHILD
SCHUTZEN
TILGHMAN
CHOCOLATE
EUREKA
HUTZLER
OPPENHEIMER
ASSAU
ZITO
DUTCHMAN
CONCORDIA
GREENWOOD
CALVERTON
LYCEUM
VOIGT

Find answer at back of Journal

Answer on page 22

TOKEN-TRIVIA

Conrad Fogelson lost what ?

Answer on page 13

PROSPECT PARK RACING

by Jane Sears LM12

Obverse
Wide 5

Reverse

Obverse
Thin 5

Obv: PROSPECT PARK / RACING / ★ 5 ★ / & FAIR ASSOCN.
Rev: BLANK
2 Varieties – wide 5 & thin 5
brass, round, 29 mm

The timeframe for this token is about 1900 to 1904 before the name change. "Prospect Park Racing & Fair Assocn"

Light harness races were held at Prospect Park race course on Eastern Avenue near Back River. The listing of the Park started about 1900 and continued thru the 1930's. Trotting & Pacing races started in the Spring and continued thru the Fall. Different meets were held with different classes. The most common of the classes were 1/2 mile, 5/8 mile, and 1 mile. The track was a half mile dirt race track. The National Trotting Association scheduled the meets at Prospect Park Racing Track and enforced their rules. The East Baltimore Driving Association controlled the Prospect Park Back River course. Entries of horses for the seasonal Circuit came from all across the East Coast.

PACING FOR A GRAND PURSE (TRADECARD)

The Prospect Park Racing and Fair Association filed for a certificate of incorporation at Towson Court House. The purposes of the corporation were for running and trotting races, bicycle races, shooting matches and

other fairs and exhibitions. Entries closed at the park an hour before the races began. A prize for each race was given to the winner. They were issued capital stock at $10,000 and divided into 1,000 shares at $10 each. The incorporators would act as board of directors for the first few years. (The Sun, Friday, Jul 27, 1900)

In 1904, they changed the name to Prospect Park Racing & Maryland State Fair Association. The track was still at Eastern Ave. and their office was at 417 Equitable Bldg. In 1912 the office moved to 417 East Baltimore.

The opening of the 10th Maryland State Fair at Prospect Park had many exhibitions of fruit, vegetables, poultry, annual household exhibit and various midway attractions were scheduled. (Just like the MD State Fair that is held at Timonium).

Ribbon
GUEST IN PIN HOLDER / HANGING HORSE MEDALLION / 10th Annual Fair / PROSPECT PARK RACING / AND / MARYLAND STATE / FAIR ASSOCIATION / 1909 (Pin & Ribbon Length 6")

There were many racing tracks in the Baltimore area

Arlington, Reisterstown road corner Belvedere Ave.
Park Cycle Track, Old Pimlico Road
Pimlico, Belvedere Ave. near Park Heights Ave.
Prospect Park, Eastern Ave. near Back River (Sept 10-13)
Electric Park - (August)
Timonium - (Sept 3 -6)
Gentlemen's Driving Park, c Belvedere Ave. s of Pimilco Ave. - (Sept 17-20)

Wikipedia says: Harness racing is a form of horse racing in which the horses race at a specific gait (a trot or a pace). They usually pull a two-wheeled cart called a sulky, or spider, occupied by a driver). Standard bred pacers and trotters compete in separate races, not against each other. They have different gaits when running. They both have two-beat gaits but he pacers race faster than the trotters.

As time passed the race track went from horse to motorcycles and automobiles races. Prospect Park track was across from Pospisil's on Eastern Avenue. Later in the 1920's the property was sold to Baltimore City for the expansion of the sewerage treatment plant.

This token is also listed on tokencatalog.com – as Gravesend NY TC-517555
1800-1880's contributed by pleafgreen

I BELIEVE THIS IS AN INCORRECT LISTING

1) I have more than 5 tokens of each variety (usually tokens don't wonder far from its original location)
2) It is not a token design before 1900 but about 1901 to 1904 before the name changed
3) This token is listed as Prospect Park Ground and Race Course
   (Prospect Park Fair GROUNDS Association) Inc 1868 (the token doesn't have **GROUNDS** on it)
4) Ours is listed as Prospect Park Racing and MD State Fair Assn after 1904.

References:
Annual report of the bureau of industrial statistics of Maryland
Annual Report – MD Bureau of Statistics & Information
"Essex" – Arcadia Publishing
Baltimore Directories
Baltimore newspapers The Horse Review 1901
Wikipedia

Thanks Ed for proofing

Conrad Fogelson Civil War Dog Tag

by Jane Sears LM12

obverse reverse

Obverse: MAJ. GEN. FRANZ SIGEL / MISSOURI. VIRGINIA
Reverse: CONRAD FOGELSON / CO. E. / 1 ST MD. / CAV'Y. / BALTIMORE. MD.
1 3/16" Round / brass / holed at top

The best way to tell the story of this man is in chronological order.
All the information is from government reference forms.

Timeline of Service for Conrad Fogelson

REGIMENT HISTORY 1st Regiment Maryland Cavalry, Company E
The organization of this regiment began in Aug., 1861.
(CONRAD'S PERSONAL INFORMATION IN BOLD)

	1861
20 October 1861	**Enlisted in Maryland 1st Regiment Cavalry - Company E, for a period of 3 years** **Co. E was organized in Baltimore, MD Joined as a Private and was 18 years old.** **Enlisted Sept 20, 1861 - Paid from Oct 20, 1861** Fought on 4 Oct. 1861
	1862
Regiment Battles	Fought on 31 May 1862 Fought on 2 Aug. 1862 at Front Royal, VA Fought on 8 Aug. 1862 at Madison Court House, VA Fought on 30 Aug. 1862 at Manassas, VA Fought on 31 Aug. 1862 Fought on 13 Sep. 1862 at Harper's Ferry, WV Fought on 24 Oct.1862 Fought on 11 Dec. 1862 at Fredericksburg, VA Fought on 27 Dec. 1862 at Dumfries, VA
	1863
	Jan & Feb 1863 Present & promoted from Private to 2d Corporal dated Nov. 1, 1862

Regiment Battles	Fought on 3 May 1863 at Stonemans Raid, VA Fought on 4 May 1863 at Stonemans Raid, VA Fought on 9 Jun. 1863 at Brandy Station, VA **July 1863 Absent at Dismt Camp Alexandria VA** Fought on 17 Jul 1863 Fought on 3 Oct 1863 at Amissville, VA Fought on 12 Oct 1863 at Sulphur Springs, VA Fought on 14 Oct 1863 at Bristoe Station, VA **Nov. 1863 Absent sick in hospital at Washington D. C. since Nov 4, 1863** Fought on 9 Dec 1863.
1864	
Regiment Battles	**Jan. & Feb. 1864 Absent - furloughed for 60 days from Feb. 8, 1864** **Mar. & Apr. 1864 Present - Returned from Hospital April 23, 1864** **Mar. 1864 - Absent was sent to the General Hospital Washington D. C.** Fought on 27 Jul 1864 at Deep Bottom Run, VA **July & August present near Petersburg VA** Fought on 14 Aug 1864 at Flussen's Mill, VA **Aug. 1864 Absent sick in Hospital at Point of Rocks Va. since Aug. 25, 1864 (Sgt)** **July & Aug. - Absent sick at U. S. G. Hospital near Point of Rocks VA, Since Aug. 26** Fought on 16 Aug. 1864 at Deep Bottom Run, VA Fought on 18 Aug. 1864 at Deep Bottom Run, VA **Sept. 1864 Absent sick in hosp. near Jones Landing since Sept. 28, 1864** Fought on 13 Oct. 1864 at Darbytown Road, VA **Nov. & Dec. 1864 Hospital Muster Roll (Ward 92) Carver U. S. A. General Hospital, Washington, D.C.** Fought on 7 Dec 1864 at Smithfield, VA
4 November 1864	Time and Place of Discharge – as a Sergeant in Baltimore, MD **Discharge near Deep Bottom, VA - Nov. 5, 1864 by reason of expiration of term of Service – at the age of 24 years.** **Loss of Left Thumb**

CONRAD FOGELSON/VOGELGESANG

1837 Conrad Fogelson was born in Germany in September (His father was Adam Vogelegsang and brother George)
He was also known as Fougelson, Fogalson, Fougilson, Fogleson, Fogalgasong, Vogelsang, and Vogelgesang in government records.
His personal description: Height- 5 feet 2 ½ inches Complexion- Fair Eyes- Gray Hair- Fair

Baltimore, Passenger and Immigration Lists, 1820-1872

Name: Conrad Vogelsang
Gender: male
Ship: Fides
Port of Arrival: Baltimore
Place of Origin: Prussia
Microfilm Roll No. 10
Line No. 43
Destination: Baltimore
National Archives Series No. M255

Arrival Date: 28 June 1854
Port of Departure: Bremen
Ship type: Bark

Age: 17
Occupation: Farmer

Carver Hospital Washington, D. C.

BALTIMORE DIRECTORIES

1860 to 1865 NO

1867-1868 Baltimore City Directory

Vogelgesang Conrad wagoner 88 n Howard

1868 Baltimore City Directory

Vogelgesang Conrad wagoner 21 Hanover

1868-69 Baltimore City Directory

Vogelgesang Conrad wagoner 21 Hanover

1870 Baltimore City Directory

Vogelgesang Conrad wag'n'r 15 Diamond

1870 MD Census –- Baltimore

Vogelson Conrad	32	m	w	driver of wagon	Hesse Cassel
Margaret	21	f	w	KH	MD
Emma	1/12	f	w		MD

1871 Baltimore City Directory

Vogelgesang Conrad driver 258 Hanover

1872 Baltimore City Directory

Vogelgesang Conrad driver 258 Hanover

1875 Baltimore City Directory

Vogelgesang Conrad, driver 205 Chestnut al

1880 Baltimore City Directory

Vogelgesang Conrad driver 205 Chestnut al

1880 MD Census - Baltimore 205 Chestnut Alley

Voglegesang Conrad	43	Express wagon	Hesse D
Margaret	31 wife	KH	Bavaria
	Children: Annie 10, Henry 9, George 6, Mary 3, Kate 7/12 mo.		
Adam (father)	75	Cabinetmaker	Hesse D

1882 Baltimore City Directory

Vogelgesang Conrad driver 205 Chestnut al

1885 Baltimore City Directory

Vogelgesang Conrad h 205 Chestnut al

1887 Baltimore City Directory

Vogelgesang Conrad driver 804 Chestnut al 206

1889 Baltimore City Directory

Vogelgesang Conrad driver 802 Chestnut al w

1890 Baltimore City Directory

Vogelgesang Conrad driver 802 Chestnut al w

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THE MERCHANTS' CARDS AND TOKENS BALTIMORE.

A list of the Issues of the Monumental City, companied by Historical Notes. By F. G. Duffield.

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43. Obv. "Conrad Fogelson, Co. E. 1st Md., Baltimore." Rev. Bust of General Seigel. Copper

In Massamore's 46th sale, June 23, 1897, No. 485, this card is catalogued as a rare Civil War token.

The name of Conrad Fogelson does not appear in the Baltimore directories.

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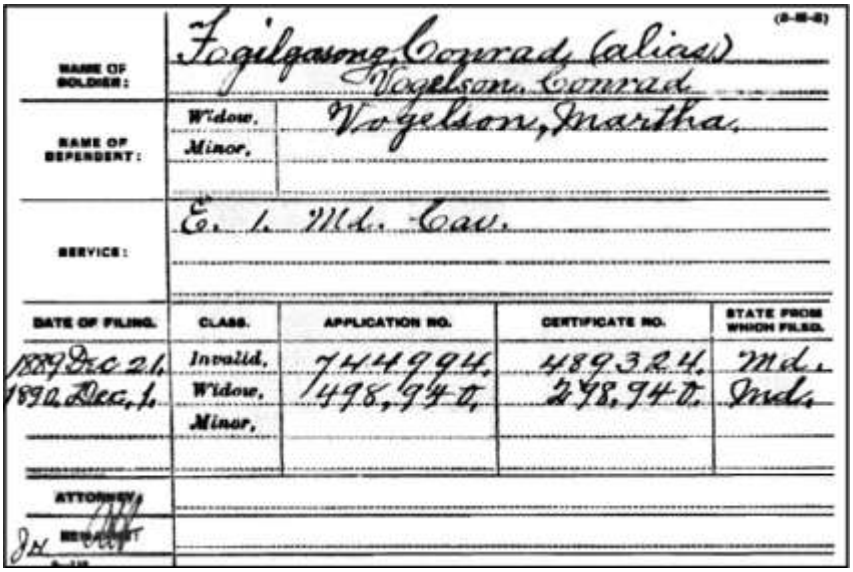
CIVIL WAR IDENTIFICATION TOKENS

There are 4 reverse sides listed.

List no. 4 "Conrad Fogelson, Co. E. 1st Md, Cav'y, Baltimore, Md."



NAME OF SOLDIER: Fogilgasong, Conrad, (alias) Vogelson, Conrad

NAME OF DEPENDENT: Widow. Vogelson, Martha. Minor.

SERVICE: E. L. Md. Cav.

DATE OF FILING.	CLASS.	APPLICATION NO.	CERTIFICATE NO.	STATE FROM WHICH FILED.
1889 Dec 21.	Invalid.	744994.	489324.	Md.
1890 Dec. 1.	Widow.	498,944.	298,940.	Md.
	Minor.			

ATTORNEY.

Civil War Pension Files 1861-1934
Widow Card (1 December 1890)

Thursday October 9, 1890 Sun

VOGELGESANG, - On 7th October, 1890 CONRAD VOGELGESANG, aged 54 years, beloved husband of Maggie Vogelgesang.

His funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 509 Brune Street, on Friday afternoon, at three o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

Author note: The varies records showing his age over a period of years is inconsistent. We fell this is due to a lack of information in the records.

<u>Reference:</u>

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History and Roster of Maryland Volunteers, War of 1861-1865, Vol. 1-2
Maryland Soldiers in the Civil War, Vol. 1
U. S. Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles, 1861-1865
US Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865
US Civil War Soldiers Index
Baltimore City Directories:
US Census 1870 1880 1910
Baltimore Sun newspaper
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SALE: Set of 6 tokens from NATIONAL JUNIOR REPUBLIC in ANNAPOLIS JUNCTION, MD dated 1899. Listed as ZARA as NJR-1- 6. $30.00 postpaid.
Steven Kawalec Box 4281 Clifton, NJ 07012 owlprowler@aol.com 3/20

SALE: A. Phillips & Co. G/F 20c I/T Cambridge, MD. Brass token. Schenkman 175-P5-20. $ 3.00 + SASE.
Steven Kawalec Box 4281 Clifton, NJ 07012 owlprowler@aol.com 3/20

FOR SALE: Phillips Packing Co. Cambridge, MD Factory B. Picker Token. Schenkman 175-P15 $ 1.00 + SASE. Multiples OK. Steven Kawalec Box 4281 Clifton, NJ 07012 **owlprowler@aol.com** 3/20

FOR SALE - Books are available from me (Free Shipping)
"Baltimore's Packing and Canning Industry" $25.00
"Lucky Bucks" $40.00
"Pre-Civil War Maryland Lotteries" $25.00
Jane Sears 9323 Waltham Woods Rd.,
Baltimore, MD 21234-1550 410-668-8538 3/20

WANTED: RED GOOSE MONEY / RELATED ITEMS. HOWDY DOODY PLAY MONEY. OTHER SIMILAR ITEMS. SCOTT McCLUNG, 8381-H MONTGOMERY RUN ROAD ELLICOTT CITY, MD 21043 410-868-3318 3/19

FOR SALE: Seven Court Liquors poker chips (set of 8) $10.00 plus $3.50 s&h
JANE SEARS 9323 WALTHAM WOODS RD, BALTIMORE, MD 21234 3/20

Token For Sale: "H.J. Olsen 1904 Gibbon, Minn. // Good For 10c In Merchandise". (Al, Sc, 19.5mm) $ 2.00 + Stamp. Steven Kawalec P.O. Box 4281 Clifton, NJ 07012 Owlprowler@aol.com 3/20

UPDATED ADDITION TO MD TAMS GIVE-A-WAYS

I knew this was made but I couldn't find it in my stuff.

MD.SOC.TAMS-17-2
WAR OF 1812. (FRONT COVER)
(INSIDE COVER) (WERE NUMBERED)
Cover information on inside with elongated attached
Notes: 25 on Souvenir Cards. Give to Club members who did something extra for the club. The Souvenir cards front cover shows the 75th Anniversary.
The Souvenir cards white and 4 1/4 x 5 1/2 .
The Souvenir cards were made by Jane Sears.
BATTLE OF BALTIMORE / Picture of the Battle Monument / 1814-2014 / FORT McHENRY / NORTH POINT / MD TAMS /In the top of the border in scrip RWD. At the Bottom to the left MH

Border – dotted
Rolled on Madison Dollars
Designer – Millard Hajek
Mintage – 25 dollars
Issued – 2014
Roller- Raymond W. Dillard

SODA POP SHOP DRIVE-IN

(POPULAR CLUB BEVERAGE CO., INC.)

by Jane Sears LM12

As a kid, I remember going to the Popular Club Beverage plant and Soda Pop Shop. My father, brother and I would pick out the flavors we wanted to take home with us. We would take in our empty bottles in a wooden divided crate. My favorite flavor was Ginger Ale.

Popular Club Beverage Company was established in 1919. It was located at 504 Middle River Road, Middle River, Md. The company offered soda in returnable bottles and also home delivery. They had claimed to have between 3,000 and 4,000 customers in the Baltimore area. Customers bought about 1,000 cases a week. The soda came in 14 flavors. They came in a case that held twelve 32 ounce returnable bottles with a deposit of 13¢ or 15¢ a bottle. The soda was sold to catering halls and through five of the SODA POP SHOP DRIVE-INS. The 5 shops were licensed by the Popular Club Beverage company.

The packaging plant employed 15 to 18 workers and on Sunday morning March 7, 1982, a fire destroyed the small bottling plant on Middle River Road. There would be no production for several months but it would open soon. The plant had produced more than 48,000 bottles of carbonated beverage four days a week. At the time of the fire it was the oldest independent soft drink company in the area. With the coming of throw-away containers and mass production Popular Club keep operating with returnable bottles and home deliveries. Customers liked the inexpensive soda at less than a penny an ounce that tasted just like the big name brands.

I have not found any want ads or articles after the fire date. There were Soda Pop Shops in other locations around town - Curtis Bay, Catonsville, Glen Burnie, Pennington Ave. and Parkville. If these are associated with the original Soda Pop Shops I don't know. I even have one in my neighborhood and after 46 years here have not even shopped there. I was told it was a great place to shop. Will try in the future.

THE EVENING SUN 7 AUG 1947

obverse **reverse**

Plastic, round, 38mm

The tokens that I have come in 4 different colors: white, semi-clear, yellow and gray. Black ink printed on front. The reverse side is blank with a hole at the top. Reads: SODA / POP / SHOP (at an angle) / DRIVE-IN / 504 Middle River Rd. / a BETTER way to BUY soft drinks (above the hole reads THE ACTION LINE U.S.A. raised plastic)

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If you have any other colors and might know what they were used for let the editor know.

★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★ **thanks Ed for proofing**

JOE BURFORD & BOB FRITCH

MD TAMS MEMBERS IN THE NEWS -- Ed Craig

In the most recent (Jul-Sep 2020) TEC News, the newsletter for the Elongated Coin community, there was a nice write-up on the passing of Joe Burford. Beside being an avid member of MD TAMS, an officer and a frequent author, Joe was very active in TEC. Their obituary mentioned his publication of several references on Maryland Elongated coins. It also mentioned that just prior to the ANA in Baltimore in 2008, the late Ray Dillard recommended Joe for a TEC Presidential Merit Award.

Another long time MD TAMS member, Bob Fritch, also a TEC member had his picture in the TEC News for his trip to Springfield MA to get some new Basketball Hall of Fame elongated coins. Due to COVID-19, people could not go inside to roll coins; however, Bob did get to meet and talk to the U.S. Mint Director, David Ryder.

R. E. Hill

by Jane Sears LM12

obverse reverse

obv: R. E. HILL, / CAFÉ / 1312 N GAY ST.
rev: 10
round aluminum 24mm UNLISTED thanks Ed & Rich

Richard E. Hill operated his saloon at 1312 N. Gay St. from 1907 to 1922. He died in 1945 and is buried at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

BILLYS CAFE

by Jane Sears LM12

obverse reverse

obv: BILLYS CAFÉ / 5 / 1607-1609 / N. REGESTER ST.
rev: blank
round brass 18mm UNLISTED thank Ed & Rich

This token could have 2 proprietors. It was a 2 story building measuring 12ft. x 63.6 ft.
J. Fred. Nauman ran a business at this location from 1904 to 1911. Then William P. Nauman ran his business from 1912 to 1916. After the Nauman's, William E. Sapp operated the saloon from 1917 to 1918.

IRVINS DEPARTMENT STORES

by Jane Sears LM12

obv: SHOP & SAVE / IRVINS / DEPT. STORES
rev: ★GOOD FOR ★ / 100 / IN MERCHANDISE
brass 35mm octagonal

map

Irvins Department Store was one of my favorite stores to shop as a kid. My mom would pack my brother and me into our 1954 Cadillac convertible and head to Highlandtown. She drove that car for years without a driver's license. She parked in Goldenberg's parking lot and we shopped. Then we walked up Eastern Avenue. We had to stop at G & A to get a hot dog with chili, mustard & onions. I got two. YUM! Epstein and Irvins were at the end of our shopping visit. As a teenager my brother, friends and I would take the Rosedale Passenger Lines bus to Highlandtown to go to the movies. We had the Grand and Patterson that were on the bus route. Remember the old times!

Irving Perellis started his first Irvin's Store in 1925 at 659 West Lexington Street and that store closed 1934 He ran a store that was a cash & carry business. No delivery service was available like the downtown stores. He opened a three story department store in Highlandtown in 1930s which sold popularly priced apparel for the entire family and household items In February 1945 a 5 alarm fire went thru the Highlandtown district (3400 block) costing the stores $700,000 in damages of which Irvins estimated loss was about $650,000. Thirty five pieces fire fighting apparatus fought the fire.

In the 1950 Irvins opened their 6th store at 5420 Harford Road. The store locations were 3430 Eastern Avenue, 3830 Eastern Avenue, 1124 to 1128 Light Street, 529 N. Gay Street and 150 Pennsylvania Avenue. Mondawmin Shopping Center was opened in 1961 and employed 130

By 1968, Irvins Department Stores regrouped and had only four stores (2 stores on Eastern Avenue, Harford Road and Mondawmin Shopping Store). An offer was made by a national corporation from NY to purchase Irvins Department Store. The purchase price was said to be around $ 1.5 millions.

IRVINS
The New
IRVINS
.. 3428-3430 EASTERN AVE..
Let's look ahead—tomorrow brings the news that you have been waiting for. IRVINS ushers in a milestone in post-war retailing—five huge floors chock full of new fashion-right merchandise, record-breaking in value. Accept IRVINS invitation to visit this magnificent, ultra-modern store that has been built to make shopping a wonderful new pleasure.

The Evening Sun - 19 Mar 1946 This was a 5 story bldg.

Irving Perellis, 74, founder of department store chain

Funeral services for Irving Perellis, founder of a chain of local department stores and a survivor of the sinking of the Andrea Doria, were held Thursday.

Mr. Perellis, who was 74 and lived at 11 Slade avenue, died Wednesday after an illness of two months.

In 1925, he started the first Irvin's Department Store, specializing in clothing and similar goods, on Lexington street, near the Lexington Market.

The last of five stores in the chain was opened at the Mondawmin Mall in 1963, and Mr. Perellis sold the stores and retired five years later.

Fond of traveling, he was returning from a vacation trip to Spain in 1956 when the Andrea Doria collided with the Stockholm and he left the ship aboard one of the last lifeboats.

The Baltimore native was a member of the Beth Tfiloh Congregation, the Arricabie Lodge of the Masons, the Woodholme Country Club and the Mercantile Club.

He is survived by his wife, the former Esther Freedenberg; a daughter, Mrs. Sandra Zimble, of Wellesley, Mass.; a son, Martin Perellis, of Beverly Hills, Calif.; four sisters, Mrs. Martha Golden, Mrs. Rose Feldstein and Mrs. Bess Norwitz, all of Baltimore, and Mrs. Pearl Pollard, of Miami, and three grandchildren.

←← Irving Perellis dies. – The Evening Sun 4 Aug 1978

19 June 1955 ad →→

IRVINS
BALTIMORE'S FASTEST GROWING DEPARTMENT STORES!
3430 EASTERN AVE.
3830 EASTERN AVE.
1124 to 1128 LIGHT ST.
5420 HARFORD RD.
529 N. GAY ST.
First In Town At This Low, But LOW PRICE!
6.98 "DAVY CROCKETT" CHENILLE SPREADS
5.70
TWIN OR SINGLE BED SIZES!
EVERY "HE-MAN'S-DEN" NEEDS ONE!
Both boys and girls will love these, thickly tufted chenille spreads with "DAVY CROCKETT" scene on beige ground to fit all color schemes. Long-lasting chenille. . . . Easy-to-wash. . . . Needs no ironing!
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED OR MONEY BACK
MAIL ORDERS TO: IRVINS DEPARTMENT STORE
MAIL ORDERS INVITED

MARYLAND TOKEN AND MEDAL SOCIETY, INC.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name (Print)_____Membership number: _____
Address: _____
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Telephone: _____ Birth Date: _____ Occupation: _____
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My collecting interests are:_____
Other Numismatic Affiliations: _____

I hereby apply for membership in the MARYLAND TOKEN AND MEDAL SOCIETY, INC. subject to it Constitution and Bylaws.
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Signature: _____ Date: _____
Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____
( ) Yes, you may publish my name, address and e-mail address in the MD TAMS JOURNAL Membership Roster.
( ) No, publish my name only in the MD TAMS JOURNAL Membership Roster.
Recommended by: _____MD TAMS # _____

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Please accept the following classified ad of 25 words or less for publication in the next issue of the Journal.
I understand that the deadlines are: ***Feb. 15; May 15; Aug. 15 and Nov. 15***

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Submitted by _____ _____
(Member's Name) MD Tams #

Note to Editor: I have exceeded my 25 word free limit. I understand I am charged at a rate of 10 cents per word over the 25 word limit. Enclosed is $ _____ for _____ additional word

GREISENHEIM

by Jane Sears LM12

obverse

reverse

obv: GREISENHEIM / (BUILDING) / BALTIMORE / 1885
rev: ZUM ANDENKEN / AN DIE / EIN WEIHUNG / DES DEUTSCHEN / GREISENHEIM / IM MAI / 1885. / CEGRUNDET JUNI 30, 1881.

TRANSLATION - TO THE MEMORIAL / TO THE / INAUGURATION / GERMAN / GREISENHEIM / MAY / 1885. / FOUNDED JUNE 30, 1881.

round copper 32mm (holed or unholded)

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This home was known in German as the Allgemeines Deutsches Greiseheim von Baltimore, or Greisenheim for short. It was incorporated in June 1881 but didn't start operating until the following year. It was organized by members of Baltimore's German community to provide a retirement home for the elderly Germans.

The Deutshe Greisenheim.

BALTIMORE, MD., May 18.—The "Deutsche Greisenheim," an institution on Baltimore street intended for the care of aged German men and women, was dedicated yesterday with very imposing ceremonies. The event was made the occasion for a parade, which was participated in by all the German societies in the city, about two thousand men being in line. Rev. H. Scheib was the orator of the day. The corner stone of the Greisenheim was laid on July 6th, 1884.

Wilson County Citizen (Fredonia, Kansas)
22 May 1885

New Building Baltimore and Payson Streets
Dedicated in 1885

Originally it was located at Lombard Street. A new building was dedicated at Baltimore and Payson streets in 1885. This building remained until 1936, when a new three story brick building with accommodations for 100 elderly men and women was built at 22 South Athol Avenue on 32 rolling acres of the Louis Muller "Sorrento" estate in Irvington. The construction was at a cost of $225,000. At that time it housed 34 residents.

The Greisenheim included three lounges for reading and watching television. A basement for various social events and an auditorium with projection booth for movies was available. A fourteen bed infirmary was added in 1957.

POSTCARD
General German Aged Peoples' Home
22 South Athol Avenue - Irvington, Baltimore, MD

In 1974, plans were started for the move to Towson to merge with another care center in the early 1980's. They purchased a 4.5 acre tract of land from Goucher College. The new facility was called Edenwald which translated to "Eden Forest" in German.

REFERENCE:
German in Maryland
http://www.edenwald.org/about/index about.htm
Baltimore newspaper
Wilson County Citizen (Fredonia, Kansas)

HARRY'S TAVERN

by Jane Sears LM12

obverse reverse

obv: HARRY'S / TAVERN / 801 / WOODWARD ST.
rev: ★ GOOD FOR ★ / 5 / IN TRADE
round aluminum 19mm
attribution not vertified **H44**
"Maryland Merchant Tokens – MD TAMS – David E. Schenkman 1986" thanks Ed & Rich

Harry Specter was proprietor of Harry's Tavern at 801 Woodward St. near Barres St. from 1933-34.

KING'S INN

by Jane Sears LM12

obverse reverse

obv: KING'S INN / WM. H. WIEBKING / PROP. / 347 S. / GILMORE ST. / BALTIMORE, / MD.
rev: GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE
round brass 20mm UNLISTED thanks Ed & Rich

William Henry Wiebking born in 1886 in Baltimore and ran his saloon from 1940 to 1942. He died in 1947 and is buried at Louden Park Cemetery.